

MURPHY AND M'CARREN HOSTS

Who Guided Bryan Over Greater New York in His Search for Votes for the Presidency

ENERGETIC CANDIDATE MAKES MANY SPEECHES

Says Gompers Thinks With the Laboring Man But Does Not Comment Further on Gompers' Legislative Program.

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—Winding up his remarkable campaign in and about Greater New York, William J. Bryan was whirled 115 miles by automobile in Manhattan and Brooklyn during the day and night, and made three speeches between the hours of 6 and 12 o'clock tonight. In New York he was accompanied by Tammany Leader Charles F. Murphy, arriving at Brooklyn Bridge he was met by Senator Patrick H. McCarren, the Democratic leader of Kings county. Murphy, Governor Lewis, State Senator Chamberlain, and other prominent Democrats, all of whom were present at the hotel where Mr. Bryan was staying. Mr. Bryan made eighteen speeches during the day, and everywhere he went—ploughing at times through mud and rain and in some cases through the most crowded and most enthusiastic audiences of his tour. The Democratic candidate's final day began at 3 p. m., when he addressed the night workers from the steps of the city hall. Then followed a five-minute speech in Brooklyn to address an audience of laboring men in and about Market Square.

From Brooklyn, Bryan hurried across to Long Island City, then to Jersey City, where three speeches were made. He then crossed the Hudson to New York again. Mr. Bryan was the guest of the College Mott's Democratic club and then with Mr. Murphy was hurried up town for two Harlem meetings. Six meetings in Brooklyn—the principal one at Church Avenue—were held. Although he had had but two hours sleep out of thirty-six, Mr. Bryan spoke with all of his characteristic vigor and good humor.

Assails Republican Workingmen. In all his speeches today Mr. Bryan assailed the workingmen of the United States. He asserted that every laboring man who voted the Republican ticket would vote to perpetuate the things that labor despised in the Denver platform.

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CITY MAY REMAIN WET IN DRY COUNTY

Oregon Supreme Court Decides That Municipal Charter Takes Precedence Over County Ordinance.

SALEM, Ore., Oct. 27.—The supreme court of this state decided today that a city may elect to remain "wet" after the county in which it is located, or the whole state for that matter, had voted in favor of Prohibition. The local option statute provides that the question of prohibition shall be submitted to a vote of the people. There is also an act which provides that amendments to the charter of a city may be made by popular vote. Jackson county as a whole elected to become a "dry" county. Medford, a city in that county, conferred upon its council the power to elect to remain "wet." Subsequently the power to regulate the liquor traffic inside the municipal boundary. It did so and an effort was made by the county to secure a conviction under the local option law. The circuit court held that the decision of the city of Medford in favor of the sale of liquor served to repeal the prohibition act so far as it related to the city of Medford, and the lower court was upheld in its contention by the supreme court.

ARGUMENTS BEGUN IN THE LAND CASES

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 27.—United States Attorney McCarren today began his argument to the jury in the land case. The last witness to testify was Dr. J. J. McCarren. All of the morning session was taken up by the cross examination of Dr. McCarren by the defense. For his manner of interrogating the witness the prosecutor was taken to task by Attorney John Manning, who in turn was called to account by the defense. Mr. McCarren will be followed tomorrow by Attorney McCarren, who will close for the defense and Judge Becker will close for the government. It is expected that the case will go to the jury late in the afternoon.

ZEPPELIN MAKES NOTABLE FLIGHT

Prince Henry of Prussia Accompanies Him in an Airship Tour Over Central Germany

FRIEDRICHSHAFEN, Oct. 27.—Prince Henry of Prussia spent several hours in today as the guest of Count Zeppelin. The prince accompanied the Count on a remarkable flight at a comparatively early hour. Not only did the prince thoroughly enjoy his experience but he sat at the steering wheel for many miles of the flight, guiding the movements of the craft and accomplishing a number of kinds of complicated maneuvers.

Prince Henry's satisfaction with the great flight was unbounded and he gave expression to it in a telegram which he sent to the Emperor. "Under Zeppelin's guidance I felt just as safe as when I was in a ship," wrote the prince. "I am a passenger when the start was made in the direction of Ueberlingen, to the northward of Lake Constance."

With Count Zeppelin himself at the wheel, the airship rose to a height of 600 feet and moving rapidly against a strong wind, disappeared behind a bank of clouds. Some messages began to arrive from the towns in the Rhine valley announcing the passage of the airship, but about 2 o'clock in the afternoon it was reported that the airship had disappeared. Soon it appeared above the thronged streets of Constance, where the prince sat in acknowledgment of the occasion from the cheering crowds below.

After maneuvering above Lake Constance in full view of the city for some time, the airship made its way toward the Swiss frontier, disappearing in the direction of Tyrol. It returned to its moorings about sunset.

It had been originally intended to make a flight only over the lake and the prince had expected the airship to take him on at 2 o'clock, but the prince was so charmed with his successful aerial venture that he extended the cruise until he was driven home by approaching darkness.

In all their briefings five men, the prince and his attendants, were on board. The airship appeared above the lake, emerging from a cloud bank like some unknown visitor from an unknown world. Count Zeppelin evidently wished to show the prince some maneuvering by the craft. It descended to within 500 feet from the surface of the water, turning from right to left and from left to right like a well drilled fish of soldiers. Then suddenly it mounted 100 feet and shot into the clouds, only the mighty hum of the propellers indicating the course it had taken.

CHARGES AGAINST GOETHALS UNFOUNDED

Device Submitted by New York Company for Cable Ways at Gatung Was Not Suitable.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—Inspector General Burlington of the army, in a report made public today, commercial chairman Goethals, of the Panama canal commission, of the charges made by President Roosevelt, of the Panama canal company of New York, who claimed that unfair treatment was accorded him in the award for furnishing and erecting cable ways at Gatung on the Isthmus of Panama. General Burlington holds that there was no collusion, that the award was made in good faith, and recommends that the contract with the Panama canal company be proceeded with. The report was approved by the secretary of war.

The report says the device of the Panama canal company was not suitable for work at the Gatung plant.

BULGARIA IS TO BUY HER LIBERTY

Ferdinand Persuades His Ministers to Agree to Pay to Turkey Some Compensation

WILL CLEAR WAY FOR PEACE IN BALKANS

Attitude of Austria Much More Conciliatory, Expressing a Willingness to Discuss Bosnian Question in Conference

LONDON, Oct. 27.—The recent political situation in European capitals appears to have brought the idea of an international congress for the settlement of the Balkan problem substantially nearer solution. Both Austria-Hungary and Bulgaria are adopting a policy of moderation. Baron von Aehrenthal, the Austrian-Hungarian minister, announced his big government is ready to enter the congress to discuss the annexation of Bosnia and Herzegovina, provided the discussion respects Austria's "sovereign rights" in these provinces. While the Bulgarian government is now reconciled to the payment of pecuniary compensation to Turkey. A further appointment between the contending parties is expected to ensue from the visit of Emperor William to the Austrian emperor and Archduke Francis, who is regarded as the prime mover in Austria's forward policy in the Balkans.

It is said Mr. Milovanovic, the Serbian foreign minister, arrived in London today. To his policy of moderation at a critical moment is attributed the fact that Serbia is not plunged in a war adventure. He will confer with Sir Edward Grey, British secretary for foreign affairs, during his stay here and the conference is expected to confirm Serbia in a policy of peace. Mr. Milovanovic will proceed to Paris on Sunday and thence to home.

SOFIA, Oct. 27.—The Bulgarian government informed the representatives of the foreign powers today of its acceptance of the principle of paying compensation to Turkey. It has been the basis of persistent diplomatic representations during the past fortnight on the part of all the great powers. This decision was arrived at between the cabinet this afternoon after a long debate, in which Emperor Ferdinand used all his influence in favor of peace with compensation.

Obdurate members of the cabinet who were opposed to the principle of compensation for fear of stifling their party were won over by the reminder that there were plenty of other officials who would be glad to replace them and assume the responsibility for the payment of the Roumelian tribute.

The cabinet in a measure was influenced also by the sentiment of the deputations which are arriving here for the opening of the congress tomorrow. They brought reports that business everywhere is suffering from the uncertainty and that foreign creditors are showing no mercy.

As a further step in the direction of peace, 60,000 reservists will be discharged, leaving the army at its normal strength of 60,000. The government will send a plenipotentiary to Constantinople within a day or two to negotiate a treaty with Turkey. It is believed that by these steps Bulgaria has done its utmost to clear the situation and conciliate opinion abroad.

Austria Will Yield. BUDAPEST, Oct. 27.—Baron von Aehrenthal, the Austro-Hungarian foreign minister, in an important speech today, indicated a yielding attitude on the part of the emperor, which may aid the peace in the preservation of peace. Addressing the Austrian delegation, the foreign minister admitted that it was Austria's desire to do its utmost to relieve the present tension and that therefore the government would not insist that the question of annexation of Bosnia and Herzegovina should be entirely eliminated from the program of the international congress, although naturally he could not admit that the powers had the right to question the annexation of the provinces and the other territorial complications in other directions.

On this basis, however, he added there was no objection in the congress placing on record the abrogation of the articles relating to Bosnia and Nopli. The Austro-Hungarian government was trying to smooth the way for the conference and he hoped his government's intentions would be appreciated at Constantinople and a hand extended for a friendly understanding.

He would be glad also to see the Austro-Bulgarian negotiations lead to a better understanding, for which condition was by no means unfavorable. Acting with that view, Austria, in common with other powers, had discussed the administration at Constantinople and Sofia from adopting military measures calculated to increase mutual distrust.

WINE RULING IS TO BE MODIFIED

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 27.—The Grape Growers' Association of the state today received positive information from Washington that the ruling prohibiting the use of domestic sweet wines in compounding proprietary medicines, would be so modified as to remove the restrictions against which the growers complain.

TAFT TOURS THE HUDSON RIVER

Speaks on Both Banks of Picturesque Stream from Greater New York City to Troy.

REPUBLICANS HAVE GOOD RECORD ON LABOR ISSUES

While Democracy Has No Record But an Impractical Theorist's Views of What Might Be Done If Allowed.

TROY, N. Y., Oct. 27.—The industries of the cities and towns which line the banks of the picturesque Hudson from Greater New York City to Troy were made the text of the speeches of William H. Taft today to the people of these cities and towns.

Yakovs, standing on the big ferry of the Hudson through a big shower, he talked at length to his many as he got into the largest theater, and then addressed those who had stood and waited in the rain, whose number was even greater.

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NO ASSESSMENTS UPON CUSTOMS INSPECTORS

Civil Service Commission Finds That Very Few Contributions of Any Kind Were Made.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—The Civil Service commission has decided that there was no foundation for the charges that customs inspectors of New York were compelled to see a Mr. Plummer in the office of Treasurer or Secretary of the Republican national committee at No. 2 Wall street and there contribute \$25 each. It was charged that the 450 inspectors were assessed that amount to help the Republican campaign and that many had already contributed. The commission, after a full investigation, examined forty or fifty employees and reported that he found no traces of coercion or assessment or even of a very general or systematic voluntary payment of contributions to the campaign fund.

NEW TRIAL ARGUED IN LAND FRAUD CASE

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—The argument for a new trial for Frederick A. Hyde and Joost H. Schneider, who were convicted last spring of conspiracy in connection with land frauds in the West, were taken under advisement today by Justice Stafford of the criminal court of the District of Columbia.

For the convicted men contended that the verdict was the result of a compromise, some of the jurors who favored conviction of all four of the defendants, who were tried (Hyde, Schneider, Benson and Dimond) voting to acquit Dimond in order to change the votes of the other jurors, who were inclined to acquit all.

The prosecution asserted that compromise verdicts were being rendered daily by juries. The defense charged that the court had erred in telling the jury that one of the defendants might be convicted of conspiracy.

TRAINMAN MAKES ATTACK ON TAFT

Says He Should Have, as Judge, Interfered to Prevent Reduction of Railway Wages.

PITTSBURGH, Oct. 27.—H. R. Fuller of Beaver Falls, Pa., national secretary of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, Firemen and Railroad Trainmen, gave the Associated Press tonight a copy of a letter which he mailed yesterday to President Roosevelt, commenting upon the President's letter to the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, Firemen and Railroad Trainmen, who, in behalf of himself and associate railroad employees, wrote to the President asking how they could best serve their own interests in the present campaign.

The President's reply urged the support of the railroad men and the reduction of wages. Mr. Fuller, in his letter, said that he was a member of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, Firemen and Railroad Trainmen, and that he was a member of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, Firemen and Railroad Trainmen.

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NIGHT RIDER PLOTS ARE REVEALED

One of the Principal Men Arrested for Death of Rankin in Tennessee Has Confessed

WIDE ORGANIZATION OF PROMINENT MEN

Implicates Those Who Were With Him in Conspiracy. Many of Whom Have Already Been Put Under Arrest

TIPTONVILLE, Oct. 27.—"Red" Burton, self-confessed night rider, told a remarkable story today of night rider depredations in the vicinity of Reelfoot Lake, confessing to the part he had played in the outrages which reached their culmination in the putting to death of Captain Rankin, a prominent attorney, on the banks of the lake a week ago tonight, and implicating men prominent in this section of the state. Among those who, he declares, had a part in the killing of Captain Rankin, more than half are now in custody at Camp Nemo, the military base near Samburg.

The confession was made in the jail here to Sheriff Haines of this county. B. G. Harris, owner of a large tract of land in the Reelfoot district, who has been arrested, and the other riders, and Mayor Cleveland Dandridge of Tiptonville. It was made freely and voluntarily.

Apparently without a qualm of conscience, Burton, a study of his story. While Burton denies that he was present at the killing of Captain Rankin, he admits that he was put to death. He admits that he was put to death. He admits that he was put to death.

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No. 310, \$3.50 Corset; size 27.
No. 351, \$3.00 Corset; size 28.
No. 250, \$3.00 Corset; sizes 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28.
No. 252, \$3.00 Corset; sizes 24, 25.
No. 207, \$2.25 Corset; sizes 22, 23, 24, 25, 26.
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10c Huck Towel	9c	35c Bleached Table Linen	17c
12 1-2 Huck Towel	9c	85c 72x90 size Sheets	75c
12 1-2 Calico Indigo Blue	6 1-4c	\$1.00 Feather Pillows	65c
7c Calicoes	4 1-2c	\$1.25 Feather Pillows	89c
12 1-2 Flannellette	9c	\$1.25 Bed Spreads, full size	98c
15c Canton Flannel	11c	\$1.75 per dozen Napkins; per dozen	\$1.39
12 1-2 Canton Flannel	8c	\$1.50 bolt of 12 yards Long Cloth at	\$1.25
2 1-2 Plain Colored Tennis Flannel	8 1-2c		
10c Dress Gingham	7c		
20c 45 by 36 inch Pillow Cases	12c		
15c 36 inch Tennis Flannel	12 1-2c		
25c Bleach Sheet, 54 inches wide	19c		
27c Bleach Sheet, 63 inches wide	20c		

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This Wife Caused Husband No End of Trouble.

Said Climate Was a "Hot Oven" and Even Objected to Mosquitoes.

The divorce case of Jacob Schuorl against Johanna Schuorl, tried yesterday before Judge Church and resulting in judgment on the ground of desertion, was in certain respects one of the most remarkable heard in the local courts.

The Schuorls are Hollanders. They were married in September, 1893, at Marion, Ia., and the desertion constructive and real has been continuous since July, 1908. Although married ten years they had never lived together more than about five months, a portion of the time on a little farm in this county not far from the Kings county line and that property he claimed as his own bought with earnings and savings unassisted by her.

She is 44 years of age and he three years her junior. It was her second venture in the matrimonial line. The second marriage was not blessed with children, but the failure was accepted as a blessing in disguise, for when she married Jacob she was the mother of seven children, though never more than four at one time were dependent upon the stepfather. Mrs. Schuorl was not a participant in the trial yesterday, save in a representative capacity through the proxy of Attorney George Cosgrave. She is supposed to be somewhere in Colorado.

The divorce was granted on the testimony of Jacob, corroborated in depositions of A. Verkuyl and wife, Hollanders, who formerly ranched five miles from Hanford, who live now at Valley Junction, Ia., and who knew Jacob when he was a farm hand, saw him prosper and finally a landed proprietor, who, by theft and general dishonesty, ruined the Scriptural ambition of having his own vine and fig tree.

Poor Jacob made a bad mess of it, according to his tale, when he met the woman with seven children and three years his senior and married her. Mrs. Verkuyl in those depositions and Mrs. Verkuyl, adding that they were really sorry when Jacob took the step. The Verkuyls went even further to declare that Mrs. Schuorl was a woman who was absolutely untruthful and whose personal reputation was not comparable to that of Cressa's wife.

Jacob's touching tale of marital woes was in effect that upon her coming to California to make his home under his fig tree and vine she conceived an unreasonable dislike to the country, deriding and despising everything, refusing to give to all that was good and refusing to see any prospect of prosperity, shutting ears and mind to every argument in favor of California as a home and a place of future promise and by every means sought to discourage him and make it impossible for him to live here.

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PETITION PUT IN FOR NEW SCHOOL DISTRICT

An application has come in to the superintendent's office for the formation of another school district in the old Jamez settlement to be cut out of territory presently included in the Mendota, Vincent and Kernan school districts and to be bounded on the northern limits by the San Joaquin river and on the west by the slough. The petitioners for the district have found in the territory sixteen census children and declare that they could have signed up for seventy more. The children represented on the application and living nearest a school house have to traverse daily three and one-half miles between home and school, while others have to travel six, seven and nine miles.

MAN STRIKES HEAD AGAINST CURB IN FALL

A man about 25 years of age, who gave his name to the authorities as Vin Connors, was taken to the emergency hospital at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon by a local transfer company to be treated for a scalp wound and a bad cut across the lips and cheek. The man was under the influence of liquor at the time of the accident. While walking along I street, he slipped and fell striking his head against the curb. Dr. Craycroft was summoned by Desk Sergeant Frank Dore and dressed the wounds of the injured man. Following the work of the physician, Connors left asleep in the basement of the city hall and was later taken to the county jail by Patrolman Davis. A charge of drunkenness was preferred against him.

COMPROMISE EFFECTED SEVEN MILLION DOLLAR ESTATE

SALEM, Mass., Oct. 27.—A settlement of the contest over the will of John Burnham Brown of Chicago, Ill., and Ipswich, Mass., which bequeathed the bulk of a seven million dollar estate to found an educational institution for young men in Ipswich, was announced in the probate court today. Mr. Brown died six weeks ago. The relatives brought action to break the will, but it is understood today that a compromise was effected.

Bankers Sued By Creditors

NOBWAIR, Ohio, Oct. 27.—Jay Ford Lanning, congressman from this district and former vice president of the Ohio Trust company, and other members of the board of directors prior to its failure, were today sued for \$300,000 damages by creditors. The suit is based on charges of fraud and mismanagement of the trust company's affairs.

Torpedo Barge to Sail Tomorrow

SAN DIEGO, Oct. 27.—Lieut. Davis of the torpedo boat Fox, states that the flotilla, now made complete by the arrival of the Lawrence in command of Lieutenant Howe, will sail for Magdalena Bay tomorrow morning.

The divorce case of Jacob Schuorl against Johanna Schuorl, tried yesterday before Judge Church and resulting in judgment on the ground of desertion, was in certain respects one of the most remarkable heard in the local courts.

The Schuorls are Hollanders. They were married in September, 1893, at Marion, Ia., and the desertion constructive and real has been continuous since July, 1908. Although married ten years they had never lived together more than about five months, a portion of the time on a little farm in this county not far from the Kings county line and that property he claimed as his own bought with earnings and savings unassisted by her.

She is 44 years of age and he three years her junior. It was her second venture in the matrimonial line. The second marriage was not blessed with children, but the failure was accepted as a blessing in disguise, for when she married Jacob she was the mother of seven children, though never more than four at one time were dependent upon the stepfather. Mrs. Schuorl was not a participant in the trial yesterday, save in a representative capacity through the proxy of Attorney George Cosgrave. She is supposed to be somewhere in Colorado.

The divorce was granted on the testimony of Jacob, corroborated in depositions of A. Verkuyl and wife, Hollanders, who formerly ranched five miles from Hanford, who live now at Valley Junction, Ia., and who knew Jacob when he was a farm hand, saw him prosper and finally a landed proprietor, who, by theft and general dishonesty, ruined the Scriptural ambition of having his own vine and fig tree.

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GERMAN COMEDIANS, BREAKFAST FOOD, PRETTY GIRLS, COLLEGE KIDS, MUSIC



"My Fashion Plate," in "Hip, Hip, Hooley," with Rice and Cady, at the Barton Tonight.

Rice and Cady, the comedy favorites of the Pacific coast who made a national record by their German dialect comedy in San Francisco, have developed this year into successful stars in "Hip, Hip, Hooley," which comes to the Barton tonight.

This is Jos. Weber's latest success, which was last season at Weber's Music hall on Broadway. Rice and Cady bring the original production, which is gorgeous in the extreme and a powerful company of forty people. The book is by Edgar Smith with music and lyrics by Gus Edwards and contains many beautiful songs and dances. Rice and Cady, the comedian, plays the part of a retired capitalist interested with his friend, played by Cady, in a new breakfast food called "Excited Oats." The capitalist's nephew is a student at Doolittle's university, a college whose curriculum is devoted chiefly to athletic sports. The breakfast food promoters visit Doolittle to interest the nephew in a proposition to train the crew on "Excited Oats." They fail to get the Doolittle earner interested so they get the rival eight in a tug boat race. Then the two breakfast food promoters, the nephew and the rival, are both killed by the strength of the oats. The nephew is in love with a town girl named Lily Green, played by Rose Leslie whom Anna Held, once pronounced the "prettiest show girl in the world," had a previous flirtation with. Mr. Cady would not be fair to tell any more of the plot, but there is a lot of music and exciting incidents. Despite the handicap of the "Excited Oats" Doolittle wins the boat race. The staging is superb.

J. J. Truman, Chalmers and Orville Taylor, growing out of the obstruction of an irrigation ditch, Mr. J. Harris appears for the plaintiff and N. C. Caldwell for the defendants. As an exhibit in substantiation of the plaintiff's case is a little sack of shrunken wheat grown on soil that was not irrigated and another of good wheat that was matured on land that was subjected to irrigation.

Wheaton has been the owner of sections 24 and 25-16-17, cultivated in part to grain and used in part for live stock grazing, alleging also that for fifteen years there has been a ditch taking water from Blinnon canal two miles southward and running northwesterly through a portion of 21-16-18 and 36 and 25-16-17 and eventually upon his land and as an appurtenant. The land is in the vicinity of Whittellville and Truman, the defendant, is the village storekeeper at Caruthers. The land in dispute is most unprofitable, the fourth standard land so often mentioned in the recent Fresno-Kings county division row.

Wheaton complains that on the 30th of last March the defendants closed the ditch on section 36, the result being no water for a time and consequent loss of crops, and the action is for an injunction forbidding meddling with the appurtenant irrigation privilege enjoyed for all these years. The defendants assert that Wheaton has no appurtenant right, but under license has been permitted to make use of the ditch to carry off drainage water from his premises and enlarging upon this license privileged has been irrigating. They ridicule his claim for damage and assert that for eight hours on the day in question they closed the ditch to facilitate drainage and that it is not their duty to maintain the ditch. The plaintiff now seeks a perpetual injunction. It is also alleged that Wheaton has an appurtenant right to the ditch, because it is a privately owned and constructed ditch.

Damaged by Sheep. Judge Austin tried yesterday and took under advisement the case of Giuseppe Imperiale against Francisco Elgarinza to recover \$500 damages. Imperiale owns a vineyard nine or ten miles northwest of town and the defendant had a flock of sheep which in May last entered upon the vineyard and did considerable damage to the vines and vines which had been set out in February of that year. The facts being true, Judge Austin's task is to figure out the damage by reason of the cost of replanting and the more remote damage consequent upon the loss of the vineyard and the vines and the damage to the vineyard by the sheep.

First Account Filed. Mamie A. Bedford as guardian of the person and estate of Halsey Austin, one of the heirs under the will

Porch Glasses

Did you ever sit on the porch and read with glasses that blurred all things across the street, and that had to be removed when you wanted to see a jangling vehicle or person?

Did you not feel like inadequate of the glasses which thus permitted you to see none at all, but at the same time deprived you of the power to see faraway ones? Did you not wish for a glass which would permit you to see near and distant objects at the same time?

Investigate the Kryptok. Here you will find a glass with which you can sit on the porch, see clearly up and down the street, and read books or papers at the same time. The Kryptok is of bifocal, but not the least like the old-style bifocal. No conspicuous lines mar its surface; no ugly pieces are pasted to it. We make the genuine article here.

CHINN BERETTA OPTICAL COMPANY

2015 Mariposa St., Fresno
Stores also in San Francisco, Oakland, Stockton and Sacramento.

COFFEE

What is essential to good coffee?

Good bean ground fresh, and a woman of common sense.

Your grocer returns your money if you don't like Schilling's Best. We pay him.

WHY SUFFER?

Breathe Hyomei and Kill the Loathsome Catarrh Germs.

Just as long as you have catarrh your nose will itch, your breath will foul, you will have colds and you will do other disgusting things because you can't help yourself. The germs of catarrh are not in your throat; they are in your nose. They are constantly digging into and irritating the mucous membrane of your nose and throat. They are now making your life miserable. In time they will sap your entire system of its energy. Its strength, its vigor and vitality. Germs of catarrh, their desperate assaults will in time undermine your reason, rob your brain of its brilliancy and activity, and leave you not only a physical but a mental wreck. This picture is not exaggerated. The writer has seen thousands of just such cases. He has personally experienced the demoralizing results that come from the ravishing attacks of the horrible catarrh germs, the greatest pest of civilized nations.

But there is one remedy that will kill the germs and cure catarrh, that is Hyomei, the Australian dry air treatment. There may be other remedies, but they are not guaranteed as the San Joaquin Drug company will guarantee Hyomei to cure catarrh, or money back. Don't delay this pleasant and simple treatment. Every day you allow these germs to exist in your system brings you nearer to complete demoralization. The San Joaquin Drug company will sell you a complete Hyomei outfit for only \$1.00. Ask them about it. It is guaranteed to cure bronchitis, asthma, coughs, colds and hay fever.

Don't you think it pays to do business with a house that is on the square?

Look at the labels on the whiskeys you have been buying; then see us and compare the quality we offer with that of others. Our port wine at 60c per gal cannot be equalled anywhere.

KAHLER BROTHERS

WHOLESALE LIQUOR DEALERS

BACK GIVES OUT

Plenty of Fresno Readers Have This Experience.

You tax the kidneys, overwork them. They can't keep up the continual strain. The back gives out. It aches and pains, urinary troubles set in. Don't wait longer, take Doan's Kidney Pills. Fresno people tell you how they act.

Scott W. Gilman, living at 1008 E. St., Fresno, Cal., says: "I first noticed symptoms of kidney trouble in my back about six and a half years ago. The annoyances rapidly became worse. I was compelled to lay off from work for two weeks. I recovered from this attack, but some time later I strained my back while doing some heavy lifting and from that time on my back was lamed. There has been no symptom of a recurrence up to the present time."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-McIlwaine Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Why You Should Use American Block Coal in Your Kitchen Stove

Did you ever notice that when your draft is open your coal never burns the oven? Coal, requiring forced draft, forces the heat up the chimney instead of allowing it to circulate around the oven. American Block coal burns readily without draft and heats evenly at once. A quick meal now, at a moment's notice, for \$3.00 a month with American Block coal. FRESNO FUEL CO., 1020 O Street, Phone Main 299.

Guns All Makes Shot Gun Shells All Sizes

Wholesale and Retail LEWALD & SCHLUETER, 1030 I St.

PRINTER'S INK PAYS

More Than One Hundred

New Fall Suits

Arrived Yesterday

Some Are in the New Fancy
Hard Twisted Worsteds
Priced From \$27.50 to \$37.50

These Garments Were Selected
By Our Mr. Max Cahn
In New York City
About Three Weeks Ago
Therefore They Are Absolutely
The Newest Fall Designs

They Are All Made of
Handsome Mannish Suitings

Those Who Are Interested
In Such Garments Should
Call As Early As Possible
As Mannish Suitings
Are In Great Demand
And Will Be Sold Quickly

The Wonder
Cloak & Suit House

E. R. Sandham

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Pacific Tent & Awning Co.

Tents and Awnings made to order, stock covers, water proof Duck.
Biggest Tent House in the Valley.
1927 Kern Street, Fresno, Cal.

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News of Central California

SAMPLE BALLOTS FLOOD DRY TOWN'S POSTOFFICE

Eighteen Thousand Being Mail-
ed to Voters.

Bell and Phelan Address Selma
Voters on Their Whirlwind
Trip.

SELMA, Oct. 27.—The Selma post-
office department is very busy today
handling the eighteen thousand sample
ballots which are being mailed to the
voters of Fresno county. The printing
of these ballots as well as that of the
grand register, has all been done in
Selma this year. The work has kept
an extra force at work for several
weeks. This job of printing the reg-
ister and ballots is the largest which
has ever been done in Selma.

The notice that Theodore A. Bell
and James D. Phelan would speak at
the depot this afternoon drew a large
crowd, notwithstanding the fact that
a delay of more than an hour was
caused by the trains being late. Mr.
Bell was suffering from a bad cold
and made but few remarks, giving
the greater part of the time to Mr.
Phelan, who discussed the campaign
issues from the Democratic view-
point.

An evening of excellent amateur
vaudeville is promised for Friday ev-
ening, when the St. Luke's Sunday
school will entertain at the opera
house. A great deal of time and
work is being given by the pupils in
preparation for the event, and a lively
program is expected to be presented.

The Clarence Morade suffered some
severe bruises today by being thrown
from his buggy in a runaway acci-
dent.

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Otis left
for Watsonville this morning, having
been summoned there on account of
the serious illness of their daughter,
Mrs. Bachler.

The Wednesday club met this af-
ternoon at the home of Mrs. D. S.
Snodgrass and completed the reading
of "The Tempest" under the leadership
of Mrs. W. P. Miller of Fresno.

W. H. De Lashmuth, who formerly
lived here, is now looking over
Schmidt's proposed sewer plans in the
interest of a coast firm of contractors.

Mr. De Lashmuth is accompanied by
his wife and family, who are visiting
with friends and relatives.

A. Wells, father of George P. Wells,
arrived from Missouri last night and
will spend the winter here.

Charles Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs.
J. S. Taylor, who has been critically
ill for several days, was operated on
this afternoon at a Selma sanitarium
for an adhesion of the bowels.

Rev. and Mrs. W. M. Sherrill ar-
rived yesterday from Houston, Texas.
Mr. Sherrill is the new pastor of the
M. E. church, South.

Mrs. L. D. Scott, Mrs. Dan Stewart,
Mrs. M. J. Scott, Mrs. A. B. Bigelow
and the Misses L. E. and Clara Vance
attended the district convention of the
C. W. B. M. in Fresno today.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Cottrell of
Oft Center arrived yesterday on a
visit to friends here.

J. L. Campbell and wife spent Sun-
day with relatives in Mono. Mr.
and Mrs. A. H. Horcher went
to San Jose today to attend the fun-
eral of Dr. J. F. Burns.

Arville Campbell had his foot badly
sprained in the football game

BORROWS \$450; PAYS \$587; STILL OWES \$640

Mr. Spiese Fighting Building
and Loan Mathematics.

One of Twin Children Dies
of Ptomaine Poison; Other
Very Sick.

VISALIA, Oct. 27.—The case of D.
K. Trask, receiver of the Protective
Savings Mutual Building and Loan As-
sociation, of Los Angeles, a defunct
institution, against "Bro Spiese" and
Mrs. Spiese of this city was begun in
the superior court today.

The case is one in which the re-
ceiver for the building and loan com-
pany is endeavoring to obtain the sum
of \$450 from Spiese on account of a
\$150 loan, after the latter had already
paid into the company according to
the acknowledgment of the latter, the
sum of \$587.80, making a total the
company is endeavoring to obtain of
\$1238 on account of a \$150 loan. Spiese
claims that he repaid the \$150 loan
over \$104 more than he should have
paid and is asking that this sum be
returned to him. Beside the \$1238
the receiver for the defunct corpora-
tion is suing for \$100 attorney fees
and costs. E. A. Regan of Los Ange-
les is here to represent Trask, and Al-
fred Daggett and J. S. Clark are at-
torneys for Spiese.

The baby boy, one of the first-
borns of Mr. and Mrs. F.
D. Steel, died this morning from
ptomaine poisoning after an illness of
a few days. The child was born in
this city. The other twin, a girl, is in
a precarious condition and little hope
is held out for its recovery. A third
child, a boy of two years, is believed
now to be out of danger. This morn-
ing Mrs. Steel, believing the child was
improving, went to his bedside. She
was summoned soon afterward with
the announcement that the child was
dead. The funeral will be held to-
morrow morning at 9 o'clock, the in-
terment being in the city cemetery.

Kodgers on Highway. A young
man, who was driving a car on the
highway, was stopped by a patrolman.
The patrolman, who was on duty here
during the fruit season working for
his brother-in-law, Will Sackie, left
for his home in Santa Rosa, Friday
morning.

Rev. Hugh McIninch and Mr. and
Mrs. Hiram Pettit attended the meet-
ing of the Fresno Presbytery. Follow-
ing the adjournment of the Presby-
tery they left for Los Angeles to at-
tend the annual synod of the Presby-
terian church of California, in which
Dr. McIninch is the ministerial
agent. The delegates from the First
Presbyterian church of Fowler, Mr.
Pettit goes as a delegate to the Women's
Synodical Missionary society.

While in Los Angeles Mr. and Mrs.
Pettit will visit their daughter, Miss
Carolyn, who is a student at Occi-
dental college at Highland Park. The
party will return some time this week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Smith of Fresno
were the guests Sunday of Mr. and
Mrs. A. G. Neely at their home four
miles southeast of town.

Mrs. F. S. Johnson, who has been
spending several weeks here with her
daughter, Mrs. Roy B. (Jiffen), return-
ed Thursday on the 11:30 train to her
home at Walnut Creek, Contra Costa
county.

Mrs. Prutman, mother of Miss
Helen Prutman, a teacher in the Fow-
ler high school, stopped over a few
days at her home in San Francisco.
Mrs. Prutman has just come from
Los Angeles, where she was a delegate
to the Presbyterian convention.

Miss R. C. Bynum, from Fresno,
spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs.
Sherrill.

Last Friday evening a few young
men of Fowler gave a social in the
hall. A short program was rendered
and was followed by dancing and re-
freshments.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Decker came over
Thursday from their orange ranch at
Yettam, Tulare county, and last night
in company with Mr. and Mrs. Wood-
son Poole, went to Stockton via the
Santa Fe from Del Rey. The party
will return tonight and Mr. and Mrs.
Decker will remain here tomorrow.

Funk Fellows, the old gentleman who
has been a guest at the home of H. A.
Ross for some weeks, went to Oakland
Tuesday, intending to spend a few
days there before returning to his
home at Pacific Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Robinson went
to Lindsay Wednesday afternoon to
take charge of the boarding house at
the camp of Mr. Robinson's brother,
J. M. Robinson, who is operating a
traction engine land grading and level-
ing outfit. Mr. Robinson went down
there a week or two since and came
up Tuesday.

Many people from the Episcopal
church in Fowler went to Hanford
last Tuesday as delegates to the Sun
Joquin convention. Among those
who went were Mesdames C. H.
Watts, H. C. Watson, R. W. Fisher,
Mottet, C. A. Harrison, Thomas
Noek, and D. H. Dibble. Rev. Dibble,
C. H. Norris and Rev. Sanford of Ber-
keley.

Sale of Thoroughbreds.
LENINGTON, Ky., Oct. 27.—The dis-
positional sale of Col. Milton Young's
McGrathiana stud, the second largest thor-
oughbred establishment of the world,
comprising 500 stallions, mares and
weanlings, began here today. Young is
preparing to leave the American racing
field and establish a plant in the Ar-
gentine republic.

LIQUOR QUESTION
UNDER DISCUSSION

Falls from Train and Sustains Severe
Cut in the Forehead.

MALAGA, Oct. 27.—Quite an en-
thusiastic temperance meeting was
held at the Baptist church Sunday ev-
ening, the churches of Easton and Ole-
ander participating. After a lively
song service conducted by E. T. Vail,
Rev. Wilkins of the Easton M. E.
church addressed the well-filled house,
using "Great Is Diana of the Ephesi-
ans" as a text. Rev. Dunlap, pastor of
the Congregational church of Oleander,
followed in a lively closing with a few
couplets. Appropriate music was fur-
nished by a quartette from Oleander
and the Malaga choir.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cartwright, Miss
Ella Moade, Elaine LaRue, Miss Ruby
Ship, and E. T. Vail attended the Rap-
id Young People's rally at Dinwiddie
Saturday.

Leslie Howler while stepping from
the train was in some unaccountable
manner thrown to the ground, inflic-
ting a severe wound in his forehead. It
was necessary to return to Fresno for
treatment, it requiring some stitches.

Little Eliza Nelsander who suffered
a painful ailment, was again being
suffering. While playing with her little
brother in the yard she fell on a rake
running a line into her forehead. An
unesthetic had to be administered
several times in dressing the wound.

Forest Foulke and Miss Eva John-
son of Selma, were guests of Rev.
Wilkins and family Sunday.

The Misses Maurine, Beth and Ro-
berta Porter of Sanger visited their
many friends here over Sunday, re-
turning with their parents who were
guests of R. W. McMan and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Stone have re-
turned from a month's visit to points
in the southern part of the state.
Mrs. E. A. Readeles who was oper-
ated on for appendicitis is able to be
home and is improving rapidly.

Mrs. Marab of Indiana, who has been
visiting her brother "Grandpa" Mize
and many other relatives in the valley,
will soon return to her home in the
East.

Ellen Fowler of Selma, is spending a
week with his cousin, Paul Whans.

JUDGMENT OF \$115,000
OBTAINED BY SOAP MAN

LONDON, Oct. 27.—Edward Cook,
soap manufacturer, today obtained libel
judgment of \$115,000 against certain
newspapers owned by Lord Northcliffe,
which charged that the company was
attempting to form a trust. Other firms
named by Northcliffe's newspaper of
being parties to the same combine, have
suits pending. Lord Northcliffe is at
present in the United States.

Endorsement for Gamers.
SAN HUAN, P. R., Oct. 27.—The lo-
cal branch of the American Federation
of Labor today resolved unanimously to
endorse the attitude taken by Samuel
Gompers in the campaign in the United
States.

ADJUTANT GENERAL COMMENDS EDITORIAL

Republican's Position on the National
Guard Meets Approval from High
Source.

Editor Republican:—That the av-
erage citizen does not take the proper
amount of interest in the National
Guard is, in my opinion, due to his lack
of knowledge as to the justification
for its existence as a state institu-
tion. Every one ought to know that
the purpose of the militia are but
two-fold—as an aid to the civil au-
thorities in case of domestic emer-
gency and as a valuable adjunct to
the United States army in time of
war.

Your splendidly written article of
the 16th instant entitled "The State
Militia" is my inspiration for writing
these few lines, and I assure you that
what you have said concerning the
National Guard and the stand that the
people should take toward it is sin-
cerely appreciated, not alone by this
office, but by every officer and en-
listed man of the militia as well.

The organized militia of the various
states and territories, such as the Na-
tional Guard of California, in connection
with the performance of their military du-
ties might, in the main, be attributed
to state pride and loyalty to country.
Of course, there are just as loyal men
out of the guard as in it, only they
do not seem imbued with the desire
state, except when called into active
service, which is a rare occurrence.

Outside of joint maneuvers with the
regular army, the officer of the Na-
tional guard of this state receives no
pay for his valuable services to the
state, except when called into active
service, which is a rare occurrence. He
receives \$25 a year for uniforming
and equipping himself, but that sum
is such a small part of his necessary
outlay that it serves only as a small
factor in inducing him to give his
time to military affairs.

The enlisted man for his hard work and
attention to duty receives absolutely
nothing except while in active service
or for joint service with the regular
army.

So then, it is a pleasure for the
members of the National Guard to
read and hear commendable words
concerning them such as are con-
tained in the "Republican's" editorial
of the 16th instant. If all non-military
persons would take the advice of the
newspaper friends of the Guard and
get into closer touch with the organ-
ized militia the citizen soldiers would
not only appreciate it but they would
also do better work because of the
encouragement.

J. B. LAUCK, Adjutant General.
Sacramento, Oct. 24, 1932.

SLAYER OF BRIDE GUEST IN FRESNO

E. B. Knox Visitor at Vineyard of
Shepherd-Teague Co. for About
Three Months.

E. B. Knox, the young banker who
shot and mortally wounded his wife
in Phoenix, Ariz., Monday morning,
while in a fit of insanity, supposed to
have been brought on by consumption,
to which he was a victim, was a great
friend of the members of the firm
Shepherd & Teague in this city. Not
only was he a great friend, but just
before his marriage in San Francisco
last spring he stayed on the Shepher-
d-Teague vineyard as the guest of the
owners for about three months. He
was a victim of tuberculosis at that
time, but the disease was only in the
early stages. He left Fresno about the
first of March and went to San Fran-
cisco where he was married.

All who knew him in this city de-
clared that he was a man of great in-
tellect and character and in every respect
a perfect gentleman. No motive for
his act could be given, except that
at times while in this city, he was
inclined to be melancholy although not
morose.

Knox comes from an exceedingly fine
family, his brother being the Knox
relative man who died recently in
Knoxville, Illinois.

ENGLISH CREDITORS WILL INVESTIGATE FLOUR COMPANY

LONDON, Oct. 27.—The English de-
benture holders of the Pillsbury-Wash-
burn Flour Mills company of Minneap-
olis, now in the hands of a receiver, ap-
pointed a committee today to represent
their interests and investigate the af-
fairs of the company. It was contended
that there could be no confidence in the
company until the element which had
brought about the disaster had been
traced and eliminated. Since August 31,
1927, the assets had diminished from
over \$6,000,000 to \$2,358,000, while the
alleged liabilities were \$5,230,000.

Thieves Caught in Los Angeles.
SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 27.—Two city
detectives started for Los Angeles today
to bring back for trial John Berry and
Joe Santavaris, who are being held
there in the charge of breaking into and
robbing the strong room of the steamer
Bora at the Pacific Mail dock some time
ago. They are alleged to be the men who
carried off the steamer's safe, contain-
ing over \$700 and valuables belonging to
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Preparation of Food

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known as general foods, which cause
weakness. It is the stomach
of other causes, which cause
not made up correctly, of acid and
alkali, your stomach cannot digest
such a stomach. These foods are
where the food has been prepared
in the stomach of the stomach, and
the stomach is weak, and the stomach
is thrown into the stomach, and
into the blood, for the stomach is
covered on the inside surface with
millions of little muscles which
do the work of the stomach.

You may readily see that if instead
of good rich nourishment, there is the
poisonous fermented milk and acid
these cause little muscles to work
it by necessity and pain. It is the
blood. The blood is the most impor-
tant of the body, and the stomach
is in an imperfect state.

The blood is weakened, the stomach
loses strength, the skin becomes dis-
eased and man in general suffers in a
score of places.

Then again the blood furnishes nutri-
tious juice to the stomach, for when the
gastric juice is not needed for diges-
tive purposes it comes back to the
blood. When food comes into the stom-
ach the nerves along the Alimentary
Canal and in the mouth signal the
brain for help and the blood comes
into the stomach, and the blood comes
into the stomach, and the stomach
do the work well and quickly.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets go into
the stomach, balance the gastric juice,
digest the food, are taken up by the
blood, purify it, and when the food
comes again to the stomach a natural
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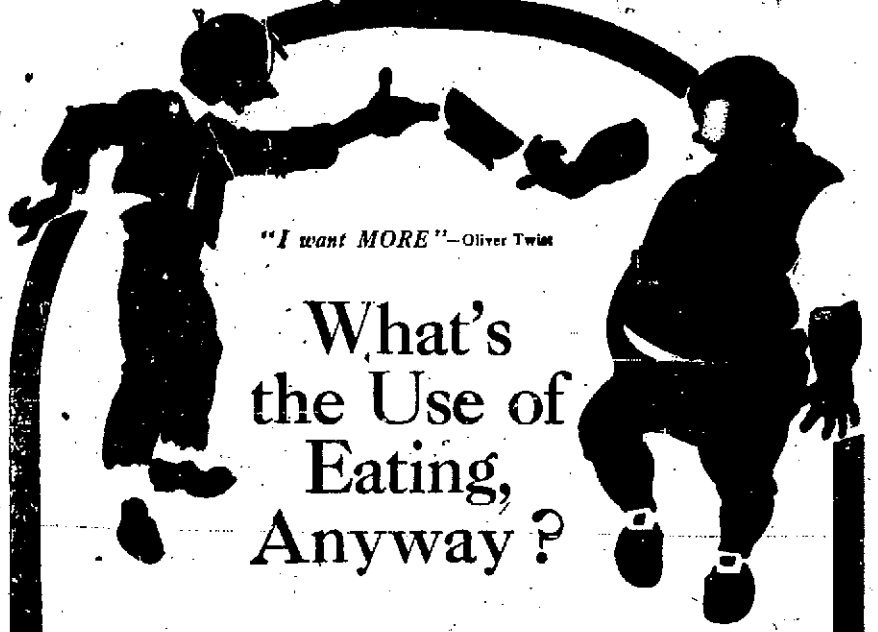
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**What's
the Use of
Eating,
Anyway?**

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food fails to nourish? The
ordinary raw oatmeal that is sold
as "rolled oats" not only fails to
nourish, but irritates the stomach
and bowels. It's as different from
H-O as sawdust is different from
rice pudding.

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A BANKER'S BANK FALLACY

It is a curious fact that the one absolute failure in former Mayor Phelan's remarkably intelligent and earnest Democratic speech last night was his discussion of the one subject on which he is personally a professional expert. Mr. Phelan is a banker, and yet the only subject which he did not discuss intelligently and frankly was the banking issue. The difficulty was of course in large part the inherent weakness of the subject. No man can make an intelligent argument in favor of an unworkable policy. And the difficulty may also very well have been that this was probably the one subject on which Mr. Phelan had the least knowledge. For abundant observation confirms the fallacy of the common phrase that "every man knows his own business best." On the contrary, most men are especially ignorant of their own business. Very few lawyers can intelligently discuss a proposition of law. Most business men are profoundly ignorant of the forces underlying business facts, and they are usually astonishingly ignorant even of the facts of their own business. The amount of free advice which newspaper men get from outsiders as to the way to run a newspaper indicates a general belief that newspaper men do not know the newspaper business. And the banker who understands the principles of banking is one of the rarest curiosities in the business. Evidently Mr. Phelan is not one of these curiosities.

According to Mr. Phelan, because the banks now guarantee government and state deposits, by depositing 110 per cent of their value in approved public bonds, they should with equal right, and could with equal safety, guarantee ordinary deposits by depositing 1 percent of their value. The two cases and the two guarantees are made out to be analogous. And yet the enormous disproportion in the guarantees proposed shows that there must be a very fundamental distinction. Nobody has ever proposed to guarantee government deposits by putting up one cent security on the dollar. And nobody has been rash enough to propose to guarantee the thirteen billion dollars of private deposits by putting up 110 cents of security on the dollar. The two remedies are 100 cents apart, and the two cases are equally far apart.

The deposit of government funds in a bank is a favor to the bank and to the business public, but not to the government. The government is equipped, as the private depositor is not, to safeguard its own funds and to transmit them, by warrant, between its sub-treasuries. The deposit of public funds is always a special deposit, the time of whose probable withdrawal can be known in advance. The government money deposited is always its own money. Bank deposits consist very largely of the bank's own money, loaned to the depositor, and checked out by him. To guarantee those deposits is to guarantee not merely the solvency of the bank, but the safety of the depositor-borrower's own investments. And, moreover, government deposits are always limited in amount, and within the reach of securities available to cover them. Private depositors can get the same sort of guarantee on the same sort of special deposits, if they wish. But the whole sum of private deposits is vastly above the reach of the public negotiable securities available as a guarantee, and, in fact, nobody proposes that any attempt shall be made to provide any such guarantee. All that is suggested is a guarantee fund of a cent of the dollar, which might be sufficient to meet individual failures in ordinary times, but would lack 99 per cent of being adequate in panic times.

Mr. Phelan also misstated the purpose of the law, by referring to the provision of the Oklahoma law, covering only banks, which voluntarily take advantage of its provisions. The Bryan proposal is to make the guarantee compulsory as to all national banks, and extend it to such state banks as choose to perform the paradoxical impossibility of becoming national banks. But both the Bryan and the Oklahoma plan have the fundamental defect that they give the banks which are to do the guaranteeing no voice in selecting which banks they are willing to guarantee.

There is no objection to a guarantee system now, entered into by a clearing house, as to such banks as it comes to admit. Neither is there any need of a law for that. The banks can make that sort of guarantee now, without any law, and frequently do. It is a sufficient guarantee in ordinary times, for all the banks in a clearing house are always strong enough to guarantee one bank. But all the banks are not strong enough to guarantee all the banks, in panic times, when the demand comes on all at once. And neither would the government be strong enough, with its cent-on-the-dollar guarantee fund. A thirteen billion dollar proposition, all at once, is too big a proposition for even the government. The only guarantee against such an emergency is a guaranty fund, but the assurance of sound banking, which the compulsory insurance feature would distinctly insure, is a feature which would distinctly insure. For the chief effect of a government bank insurance fund would be to spread reckless, credit, in times of speculation, and conservatism in the time needed, add to complete enforcement, in time of stress, when a liberal policy on the part of the strong banks is needed.

Mr. Phelan as a banker ought to know that there are only two ways of insuring bank safety. One is by

voluntary bank associations, into which no bank will have the right to enter except by the consent of those already in, or to remain when its methods are disapproved by the main body of the associated banks. The other is to put the government into the banking business as the European governments are and the American government was until Andrew Jackson put it out, with a great central bank on which all the others depend. Mr. Bryan's plan is inconsistent with either of these possibilities, and is itself an unworkable impossibility.

ONLY ONE FIGHT

One fact of local political policy has become evident. The local Democratic committee has finally concentrated all its efforts on one office. The election of the Republican candidates for supervisors, and Mr. Drew to the assembly is conceded, and is practically uncontested, so far as the committee is concerned. The county is expected to go unanimously for Needham, and no effort is being made by the Democratic committee to prevent it. They regard, as everybody else does, the candidacies of Behrmer and Pell as jokes, and they are giving themselves no concern about the Democratic candidates for supervisor. As to Taft and Bryan, they are not particularly worrying over the fact that the county is sure to go for Taft by a big majority. All these things they have given up, and they have concentrated all their effort on the candidacy of W. R. Odom for the assembly, against W. E. Chandler, in the vain hope that centering all endeavor on one fight, they may win that.

And why this fight rather than others? Not because Mr. Odom is particularly in the favor personally of the committee, over the other Democratic candidates. Not because they have any special animus against Chandler, among Republican candidates. But solely and simply because there is one element involved in this contest by which they think, if things can go their way, they might win. It is a question, not which contest is most deserving, but which is most likely to win.

And they expect to win by playing the double game of appealing to a local prejudice in Coalinga, in favor of a Coalinga candidate, while avoiding all arousing of local feeling elsewhere in favor of Mr. Chandler. If the district could be evenly divided elsewhere, and Odom could get all of Coalinga, naturally Odom would win. And that is what the Democratic committee is trying to bring about. But that is not what the people of Fresno county, either Democrats or Republicans, are desiring to bring about. The people of Coalinga know that they could not serve their own interests worse, as a part of Fresno county, than by voting entirely on local prejudice, irrespective of county interests. They know that such a tendency on their part would produce like tendencies elsewhere, which would be bad for all concerned. The people of Coalinga who realize (as most of them do) that Mr. Chandler, with his larger personality and larger experience, can render more efficient service at Sacramento than Mr. Odom, are going to vote for him. The people of the rest of the county are going to choose between the two men on the same ground, and a large share of the Democrats of the county, as well as the Republicans, are preparing to vote for Chandler, on account of their confidence in his personality and their knowledge of his high standing. The people understand this, and will so vote. But the Democratic committee does not. And so it is putting itself in a position distinctly disloyal, not merely to the general interests of the county, but to the other candidates on its own ticket.

ANSWERED BY PROXY

Bryan has not answered Roosevelt's question yet. But it was answered for him, in Fresno last night, by Theodore A. Bell, Bryan's intimate friend, his accredited mouthpiece at Denver, and practically his personal representative now. And to the question, Do you stand for the Gompers policy on injunctions? Bell's answer is, "No." Which is doubtless quite true. Neither Mr. Bryan, Mr. Bell, nor the Democratic party favors, or would enact, the legislative measure in regard to injunctions which Mr. Gompers has frequently announced to be the only thing he will accept. Mr. Bell said so, explicitly, last night, and Mr. Bryan has said so implicitly, by his silence, all along. But the queries still remain open: Why does Mr. Bryan not have the courage to say so for himself? And why does Mr. Gompers so violently allege that Bryan does stand for a policy which Bryan falls to accept and Bell, for him, squarely repudiates? The difference between Taft and Bryan is that Taft has a labor policy, while Bryan is looking for labor votes. Taft's policy of absolute justice and intelligent enlightened reform will get the labor votes, but that is not what he adopted it for. He adopted it because it was right, years before he had any idea of ever asking for votes. Bryan's lack of policy was adopted expressly as a vote-bait. Now the embarrassing alternative questions of Roosevelt have stripped off the bait and left the hook bare. It can no longer catch votes. It was never any use for any other purpose.

Mr. Odom advises the voters not to bother about the two big bills at the top of the ticket, but to mark first and foremost "the smallest bill on the list"—meaning himself. Which advice is a sufficient proof of the correctness of his own self-characterization. "It is small advice indeed, from a very small bill."

DISAPPOINTING DEMAGOGY

Theodore Bell grievously disappointed his friends and personal admirers last night by one piece of unwarrantable demagoguery. In the midst of an impassioned but purposely "dragged-in" eulogy on Bryan's piety, he slipped in, intentionally and maliciously the words, "I admit he believes in the divinity of the Savior." Which is of course true, and in itself a fact which inspires nothing but respect from any source. But it is too respectable, not to say sacred a thing, to be put to the usage of a cowardly demagogic insinuation. For the purpose was not to commend Bryan's orthodoxy, which needs no commendation, but to appeal, in an underhanded way, to a supposed orthodox prejudice against Taft's Unitarianism. Which is distinctly the most offensive thing we have yet heard in this campaign.

Mr. Bryan's piety is to his credit. So is Mr. Taft's. They are both devout men, though they worship in different folds. But the theological beliefs of the two are their personal affair, and it is distinctly un-American to drag them in as issues in this campaign. No unorthodox Christian, and no non-Christian, is going to hold Mr. Bryan's orthodoxy against him. It is his sincere faith, which is held in all honor by those who share and those who fail to share it. Likewise no orthodox Christian is going to hold it as a political objection to Wm. H. Taft that he was raised by a devout father in the church in which have belonged many of the most distinguished and devout presidents and statesmen of American history. The attempt on the part of a few misguided preachers of super-orthodox prejudice to raise this issue some time ago aroused so much indignation among their own people that it was hastily given up. It was both imprudent and improper for Mr. Bell to bring it up now, and it was not frank nor courageous to bring it up by this method of insinuation.

It was the orthodox Puritans who fought for the separation of church and state, and dedicated this nation to religious freedom. Any politician who makes a demagogic appeal to the successors of those Puritans, on grounds of religious prejudice, has mistaken his audience.

DEADLY OIL FUMES DO GREAT DAMAGE

Extinction of Petroleum Fire Is Followed By Eruption of Very Destructive Gases.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 27.—Deadly fumes from Mexico's great oil well fire, sixty miles from Tampico have killed more than a score of workmen during the last few days, completely blackened the white paint inside of ships and caused thousands of dollars' damage to ranchers and other neighboring interests, according to Captain Michael Heinrichsen of the steamship City of Mexico, which reached New Orleans tonight.

Battling to save what they could from the wreckage, American oilmen, after spending more than a million dollars, finally succeeded in extinguishing the blaze, but then even greater terror prevailed. When the fire was stopped the gases burst forth and laborers, inhaling them, dropped dead in their tracks.

"OHIO" IS PROVING POPULAR AT EMPIRE

The bill "Ohio," being played at the Empire this week, is drawing good houses, and well it should, as it is one of the best pieces produced by the Dunlap company.

MASSACHUSETTS SUMMER RESORT IS BURNED UP

SALISBURY, Mass., Oct. 27.—The greater portion of the thickly housed summer colony at Salisbury beach was wiped out early today by a fire which destroyed more than 100 cottages, situated along the beach front, north of the mouth of the Merrimack river. Practically all of the houses had been abandoned for the season. The damage is estimated at \$100,000.

After the flames had raged for three hours the fire fighting forces of Amesbury, Salisbury and Newburyport, together with the life savers from the beach station pulled down several cottages between the burning area and the larger hotel and dance hall, and prevented the fire from reaching that section. A few of the smaller hotels were burned. The burned area extends for about a mile on both sides of the tracks of the Boston and Maine railroad.

MRS. STEVENS AGAIN LEADS THE W. C. T. U.

Several Other Officers of the Organization Are Re-elected By the Denver Convention.

DENVER, Colo., Oct. 27.—Mrs. M. N. Stevens of Portland, Maine, today was unanimously re-elected president of the National Woman's Christian Temperance Union.

Other officers were elected as follows: Vice-president at large, Miss Anna A. Gordon, Bristol, Rhode Island; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Frances P. Parks, West Virginia; recording secretary, Mrs. Elizabeth Proctor Anderson, North Dakota; re-elected; treasurer, Mrs. E. P. Hutchinson, of Kansas; general branch secretaries, Young Woman's branch, Miss Rhonda E. G. Mosher, New York; re-elected; Local Temperance League branch, Miss Marguerite Wintinger, Illinois, re-elected.

Thanking the convention for the confidence in her shown by her re-election, President Stevens said: "I will bear the torch of the W. C. T. U., since you have chosen me. It is the torch of God-given truth and I will try to keep it burning so brightly and hold it so high that the W. C. T. U. will be high over everything."

NIGHT RIDERS ARE SUED FOR \$100,000

Wealthy Kentuckian Charges That Widespread Conspiracy Existed in Tobacco District

LOUISVILLE, Oct. 27.—A suit for \$100,000 damages, which was filed today in the United States circuit court for the sixth circuit at Louisville, promises to become an important factor in the night rider situation in Kentucky and Tennessee. The plaintiff, Henry Bennett, was set upon and brutally beaten at the time of the 4th night rider raid, and, as he claimed, maimed and badly injured by a band of night riders. At the same time his steamery and tobacco factory and other large and valuable buildings were destroyed by the night riders. Bennett has been receiving letters ever since this time threatening that he would be killed by night riders.

In the suit filed today he is pleading not only against the actual persons who were present at the raid, but against the "Silence Brigade" and that they participated in the meetings which were held throughout the state.

FIRE ENDANGERS MANY GIRLS IN PRIVATE SCHOOL

Pupils Make Their Escape from Los Angeles Seminary By Way of the Windows.

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 27.—Fire which broke out early this morning and practically destroyed the dormitory and administration building of the Marlborough preparatory school, a three-story frame building at 646 West Adams street, endangered the lives of several of the school's scholars. Several of them were carried from windows by firemen who raised ladders to the second and third stories. Others escaped in bath robes and light apparel. The financial loss is about \$50,000.

GOOD MEETING HELD AT KERNAN

E. A. Williams and Assemblyman Chandler addressed the voters of Kernan last night. There was a good attendance and much enthusiasm was shown. Mr. Chandler discussed legislative matters and his actions in opposing justice legislation. Mr. Williams spoke enthusiastically and heartily on national issues. He discussed the Democratic platform, the bank guarantee proposition and defined Taft's position on the labor question.

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Silk Petticoats Worth to \$5 For \$3.95

You haven't judge them by the ordinary \$5.00 petticoats usually sold in Fresno. It wouldn't be fair to these splendid garments. They are all silk, and in all the good colors. They are simply cut, generously made; heavy durable silk; as good as any that comes in \$5.00 garments, thus have a silk dust ruffle, where others give you cotton; and our price is but \$3.95

Sorosis Shoes 25c Embroidered Corset Covers 19c

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CHINESE FEARING TROUBLE AT AMOY

Reception of Visiting American Officers and Crew Will Be of a Very Limited Character.

AMOI, Oct. 27.—As a precaution against any disturbance during the visit here of the second squadron of the American fleet, invitations to the dining reception to the fleet have been limited to number to 400. Many Chinese officials returned to Tokio after the men.

La Fayette

Shortly after his arrival in America, La Fayette wrote to his wife in France: "American women are very pretty and have great simplicity of character. Very natural that these women should have appreciated the beauty of simplicity in attire. Not strange either, in reviving a time-honored Colonial Pattern distinguished by extreme simplicity, that it should be named after La Fayette, whose own exalted simplicity of character made him desert the luxury of court life in the cause of American freedom. The 'LaFayette' has no ornamentation. Severely plain in its surfaces, this pattern realizes the highest art of the craft, resting its charm wholly on beauty of outline. Delightfully old fashioned and typically Colonial. In Sterling only. Ask for our 'LaFayette Book,' and in making your selections look for it."

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